

# Rochester Numismatic Association Meeting Minutes



1926

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|---|---|---------|-------------|---------------------------|--------|--------|------|------------|
|   | R. N. A. MEETINGS                         |         |             | Prepared By               | Robert | E.     | Doty | 01/05/2004 |
| PRESIDENTS TERM   |   | 1926    | 01/01/1926  | 12/31/1926                |        |        |      |            |
| PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL YEAR & MEDAL NUMBER                                    |   |         |             | 1926                      | 15     |        |      |            |
| PRESIDENT   |   |         |             | Paul                      | M.     | Lange  |      |            |
| VICE-PRESIDENT  |   |         |             | Almond                    | H.     | Plumb  |      |            |
| SECRETARY   |   |         |             | Dr. Arthur                | C.     | Parker |      |            |
| TREASURER   |   |         |             | Almond                    | H.     | Plumb  |      |            |
| OTHER CLUB MEDALS   |   | Putnam  |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
| MEETING PLACE =   | Rochester Municipal Museum, Edgerton Park |         |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
| MEETINGS 1st.& 3rd.   | Tuesday                                   | Tuesday |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | Month                                     | Date    | Date        |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | JANUARY                                   | 4 * Sun | 19          |                           |        |        |      |            |
| * Banquet Location & # - Osburn House - 14 th. Banquet                    |   |         |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | mtg. #                                    | 306     | 307         |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | FEBRUARY                                  | 2       | 16          |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | mtg. #                                    | 308     | 309         |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | MARCH                                     | 2       | **          | ** = Missing Minutes      |        |        |      |            |
|   | mtg. #                                    | 310     |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | APRIL                                     | **      | **          |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | mtg. #                                    |         |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | MAY                                       | **      | 18          |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | mtg. #                                    |         |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | JUNE                                      | 1       | 15          |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | mtg. #                                    |         |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | JULY                                      | 6       | **          |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | mtg. #                                    |         |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | AUGUST                                    | 3 ***   | No          | *** = Dr. Parker's Office |        |        |      |            |
|   | mtg. #                                    |         | Mtg.        |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | SEPTEMBER                                 | No      | 14          | 27                        |        |        |      |            |
|   | mtg. #                                    | Mtg.    |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | OCTOBER                                   | 5       | 19          |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | mtg. #                                    |         |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | NOVEMBER                                  | 2       | 16          |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | mtg. #                                    |         |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | DECEMBER                                  | 7       | 21          |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   | mtg. #                                    |         |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
| Lange PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL STRUCK BY Bastian Brothers Co. , Rochester, N.Y. |   |         |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
| Alphonse A. Kolb - Sculptor & Die Cutter - Obverse                        |   |         |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
| Joseph A. Koeb - Sculptor & Die Cutter - Reverse                          |   |         |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   |   |         |             |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   |   | Metal   | Medals Made |                           |        |        |      |            |
|   |   | Bronze  | 50          |                           |        |        |      |            |
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## ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

Regular monthly meeting of January 19, 1926

At the Library room, Municipal Museum, Edgerton Park.

Officers present: President Paul Lange, Vice Pres. Secretary Parker, Treasurer Plum, and also the following members:

Messrs Woodbury, Stanley, Horner, Gillette, Bauer, Kolb and Harringx.

The minutes of the preceeding meeting were read by Pres. Lange, who had acted as Secretary-pro-tem, Approved.

The Secretary was instructed by the President to transmit the minutes of two regular meetings to the Numismatist.

The Committee on the Putnam plaque rendered a report, stating that it had conferred with several organizations, notably the Rochester Historical Society, through its President, Charles H. Wiltsie, and that indications were that the Society would cooperate in the expense.

The committee also discussed the proper place for hanging the memorial and what methods would be adopted to meet the expense of the medals reduced from the larger plaque.

The Coin Committee had no report.

There was no unfinished business on the table.

Under New Business, Mr Bauer reported that the Clark Co of Le Roy had a new collection of half-dollars.

Under the topic "Coin Week," there was considerable discussion, in which several members volunteered to place coin exhibits in store windows, banks and offices, etc.

The Secretary was instructed to send for booklets for coin Week, Gutang Bros. supplying the request.

Suggestions from the floor were that auction sales be held frequently through the year.

Mr Bauer brought an interesting collection of certain ancient Hellenic coins, and also a new monograph on Athenian coins, by C.T. Ceitman.

Mr Bauer also reported that Mr S.P. Moe, Secretary of the A.N.Soc would visit Rochester on Thursday, Jan. 21.

After various discussions, the nature of which it is not necessary to report, the meeting adjourned, the President stating that the next meeting would be held on February 26, at the same place and hour.

Arthur C. Parker  
Sec



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R. N. A. 1925 PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL.

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Following its custom, the Rochester Numismatic Association has issued its Presidential medal for 1925. The obverse contains the portrait of John W. Horner, who served as President during the year, and by the members of the Association it is considered an exceptionally good likeness.



The obverse die was cut by Alphonse A. Kolb, modeler and die cutter and a member of the R. N. A. The reverse is from the die used on the preceding medals of the series. They were struck by the firm of Bastian Brothers, of Rochester, N. Y.



February 16, 1926.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held in the Library of the Municipal Museum, Edgerton Park, February 16, 1926.

Present, President Paul Lange, Treasurer Plumb, Secretary Horner, Parker, Past Presidents Ambery, Sunday, Gillette, Bauer and Woodbury, also the following members: Messrs Kaupman, Roner, Kolb, Harringx, Cowles, and visitors, The Messrs Peake, Mr Wardell and Mr. Ekley.

The Minutes of the preceeding meeting having been read by the Secretary were adopted, after which President Lange asked for a final report on the preparations for Coin Week and the exhibits. Chairman W.H. Amberg rendered a report for the Publicity Committee, stating that notices would be prepared and sent all Rochester daily papers and other publications. Mr. Woodbury spoke in appreciation of the efforts of the committee.

Mr. Bauer, seconded by Mr. Woodbury moved that the Publicity Committee be continued for the rest of the year, and the motion being carried was ordered by the President.

Mr. Gillette reported on his proposed display in the McCurdy Department store. President Lange directed that the special Coin Week Cards, printed by the Museum be placed with each member's public exhibition during Coin Week.



Mr. Horner reported that Mr Woolsey had a display ready for the windows of the National Cl thing Company, and President Lange stated that he had an exhibit ready for the Spencer ort National Bank, to be placed in suitable display cases, su plied by the bank.

Mr. Bauer reported, that as a special attraction during Coin Week, he has consented to talk on coins and coin collecting in a broadcast program from Station WHEZ.

The Coin Committee of the Association having no report, the Memorial Plaque Committee was called upon, and stated that its solicitations for funds to defray the expense of a memorial to Edward D. Putnam, late Curator of the Municipal Museum and of the American Numismatic Association, had been fully successful, every assurance being that the memorial could be paid for.

Pr sident Lange now urge the members to secure new members f r the Association, and blanks were passed round There being no im ortant communications and no ne business, Mr. Bauer stated that he had received a letter fro Dr. Jacob Hirsch the noted numismatist, in anticipation of Rochester vi it. Mr. Bauer suggested a luncheon party of coin collectors in the Doctor's honor, and Mr. Sunday suggested a special visit to the Museum and to the Coin room. President Lange suggested the use of the Museum's lunch room facilities.

There being no further discussion the Presid nt suspended the business session in ord r to proceed with an auction of European coins. Mr. George Bauer was requisitioned as auctioneer, and served with his usual charming style and genial manner.

Bidding was spirited and most of the coins sold at prices very close to the market quotation. After the auction the meeting was adjourned to March 2d.



Rochester Numismatic Association, Branch 2, A.N.A.

March 2, 1926.

On March 2d, 1926 was held a regular semi-monthly meeting of the R.N.A. in the "library of the Municipal Museum in Edgerton Park. The Coin Room having been thrown open and inspected by the members and visitors, President Lange called the meeting to order.

Members present: President Paul Lange, Treasurer Plumb, Secretary Parker, Past Presidents, Sunsay, Bauer, Amberg, Horner, and French, also members Kolb, Cowles, Peake, Peake Jr., Bumpus and Henderson.

President Lange requested the reading of the minutes of the preceeding meeting, which were found correct and adopted.

Mr. George J. Bauer, Past President, suggested that our minutes should be sent to the "Numismatist", and the Secretary was accordingly instructed to do so, with a record of two sessions.

The President called for a report on the exhibits for Coin Week, and all exhibitors responded by stating that their displays had been well received, and that enthusiasm was manifest wherever displays were held. Some merchants, banks and shops requested that an even greater space be taken next year owing to the crowds attracted. Much interest in coins was stimulated in Rochester during the week, and scores of collectors hitherto unknown to the association, brought in collections for identification and appraisal.

For the Publicity Committee Mr. W. Amberg reported that every Rochester newspaper had carried his notices and special



articles on coins and Coin Week.

Past President Bauer reported on his visit to New York during the week and he described a special exhibit in Wanamaker's store. He mentioned his visit with Dr. Hirsch, his call on Past President Meritt and Mr. Yager.

The President called for applications for membership and through Dr. French, sponsored by Mr. Bauer, received an application from Mr. M. Henderson. The application was acted upon immediately, and the candidate duly elected, the customary fee having paid the Treasurer.

Several members brought interesting coins for display on the table. Mr. Lange had some interesting coins of the early Roman emperors and a selection of "hard time tokens". Dr. French exhibited some early medals of Julius Caesar. Mr. Harrington showed a collection of American Coins and Canadian tokens, together with certain English pieces, and these were placed on the table for auction.

Business being finished, President Lange appointed Past President Bauer auctioneer. The auction proceeded in a spirited manner, Dr. French buying, against heavy bidding the lot of tokens. Several new members secured good coins at very reasonable prices. All coins were sold, whereupon a select series of books and collated volumes of the "Numismatist" were sold at good prices, the bidding showing a lively interest in the subject of numismatics.

At 11. P.M., the meeting adjourned.

Arthur CL Parker, Secretary,  
Municipal Museum, Rochester, N.Y.



May 18, 26

Henderson Woodbury Sunday  
Homer & Peake, Rakey  
Gillett Plumb, Sarge, Barner,  
Merritt, Koll.

First Mr Turner Chapin  
Ex Pres Merritt of New York was  
present.

Report of Committees.

Placque Mr Koll reported the  
Placque for the Putnam Memorial  
would be ready for May 29th.

Pres appointed Mr Dmday a  
committee of one to arrange  
for future coin sales in  
the Auction Rooms.

Application for Membership  
The Application of Reed. T. Chapin  
285 Oxford St was tendered  
by Mr Horner

Meeting of May 18, 1896

it was moved and dispense  
with the usual procedure  
and elect Mr Chapin as  
Member. Carried.

Recess was declared and  
an Auction took place



June 1, 1926

Lange, Homer, Bauer,  
Thurmon, Gillett, Harrington  
Sunday

Chapin, Dr Peake, Mr Peake  
Parker; Cowles,

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Exhibit, Bauer, Coins from  
Amsterdam sale.

Gillett,

Medals — & various  
societies & contributors  
ordered distributed.

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Thu. Sunday -

Minutes Assoc

151 Malling Drive -  
Rock.

Minutes of May 18 read  
and approved

No bills received

Medal committee report  
on sale of Putnam memorial  
medals

~~No~~ Correspondence  
Mr Bauer rec'd letter, Putnam, a. Chem. Res. Com.

Mr Bauer suggest having  
each society take medals  
for sale.

Recd + filed - Letter from  
Dir. Munic. Mus.

No Unpublished  
New Business



R. M. McLaughlin  
Montreal, Can

in  
the  
museum

Mr Bauer: Donation  
to Numismatic Col -  
5 Pieces  
Good condition -

No other business  
Simp. for auction

Finely auction of  
Roman coins + European medals  
English - small coins

June 1, 1926 Com Com  
did purchased  
a rep. col of  
Roman Com  
for the Assn's  
exhibit



ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

June 15, 1926.

The regular ~~semi~~-monthly meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order at 9. P.M., June 15th, by President Lange.

Among ~~toode~~ present were President Lange, Ex-Presidents Horner, Bauer, Sunday, Woodbury, <sup>Gillatt</sup> Plumb and Harringx, members <sup>Amber</sup> Kolb, Messrs Peake, Kauffman, Cowles, Grose Chapin and Secretary Parker. Visitor: Walter H. Cassebeer.

The minutes of the preceeding meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Woodbury offered to purchase for the Association a copy of the History of the U.S. Mint, recently published at \$5.00.

The Treasurer reported the receipt of the bill for the memorial ~~tablets~~ <sup>medals</sup> and incidentals. Upon ~~motion~~ the bill was approved at \$175. and ordered paid. A check was therewith drawn to the order of Mr. A.A. Kolb.

The annual outing was discussed by several members, but no conclusion was reached.

There being no other business, the President ordered a recess for the auction. A number of exceptionally good Roman coins were placed on the table and auctioned by ex-President Baure, assisted later by Mr. Harringx. Bidding was spirited and practically the ~~entire~~ entire collection sold.

The meeting adjourned at 11. .M.

A.C. Parker, Secretary.



# Rochester Numismatic Association

July 6, 1926

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held in the Library of the Municipal Museum, <sup>July</sup> June 6th, 1926, at 8 P.M.

The members inspected the coin collections and the coins purchased at the auction during the previous meeting were installed by President Lange and ex-president Bauer.

At 9 P.M. the meeting was called to order by the President and the minutes were read by the secretary, and with the approval of the members adopted.

The following members were present: President Lange, ex-presidents Bauer, Amberg, Sunday, French, Horner, Plumb, Gillette, and members, Kolb, Henderson, Peake Sr., and Parker.

A bill from Basitan Brothers for \$42.00 for striking the Putnam Memorial Medals was presented by the ~~SECRETARY~~ Treasurer, and upon inspection was ordered paid.

Mr. Amberg presented an invitation extended by the Philatelic Association for their field day atodus Point on July 22. The President urged all members who might be able to attend this ever enjoyable occasion.

The President, supplemented by Mr Bauer urged all members able to do so to attend the Annual Convention of the A.N.A. in Washington, and several indicated their intention.

The Annual field meeting was discussed and it was tentatively decided to hold it at LeRoy, previously holding a dinner meeting at the Spring House at Mumford, then going to the residence of Mr. Clark. Mr Bauer was appointed a committee of one to make the arrangement.

A recess was called during which Mr. Sunday presided as Auctioneer. an excellent lot of American coins were sold. A.C. Parker, Sec.



Rochester Numismatic Association

August 3, 1926. A regular meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held in the offices of Director Parker on August 3d with the following members: President Paul M. Lange, Treasurer Amberg, Plumb, Secretary Parker, ex-presidents Sunday, Bauer, and Messrs C. Peake, Dr. Peake, Cowles, Wardell.

The reading of the minutes of the preceeding meeting were dispensed with. A communication from Mr. Duffield was read by Mr. Bauer.

Upon motion the next meeting was deferred until Sept. 14 due to the rehabilitation of the Museum and the congestion of the Numismatic headquarters incident to the Industrial Exposition. There was some discussion concerning the annual Convention of the A.N.A. and members were solicited by Mr. Bauer.

There being no other business the meeting adjourned for the coin auction, Messrs Bauer and Sunday acting as auctioneers. Mr. Bauer gave expert advice and descriptions of the coins which Mr. Sunday auctioned with great ability. Several lots of Romans and Americans were sold at good prices, and the Coin Committee purchased an unusual lot of Washington medals and Roman coins for the Museum Exhibit.

Arthur C. Parker, Secretary.



## Rochester Numismatic Association

Sept. 14, 1926. A regular semi-monthly meeting was held on September 14th, after the suspension of two meetings, due to the reconstruction work in the Municipal Museum.

The meeting was held in the Library of the museum and was called to order at 8 P.M. by President Paul M. Lange. The following members were present: Treasurer Plumb, Secretary Parker, Ex-presidents Horner, Bauer, Woodbury, Sunday, Gilette, French, and members Chapin, Potter, Dr. Peake, Chester Peake, Wardell and Kolb.

The minutes of the preceeding meeting were read and approved, after which the President called for special and regular reports. Mr. Parker reported that A.A. Kolb the medalist had modeled and cast an entirely new and larger bas-relief of Gurator Putnam and had placed it on the marble placque in the hall. Mr. Woodbury moved a resolution of thanks, which was unanimously carried.

Mr. Bauer reported for the coin committee that no new coins had been acwired since the last meeting but that he desired to donate a complete set of <sup>Japanese or Thai</sup> bullet money of silver. The President entertained a motion of thanks and the mothon was carried unanimously, and with suitable words from the President and members.

Mr. Bauer reported on his attendance at the A.N.A. Convention and described the sessions and the splendid entertainment accorded visiting delegates. He recommended that all members write their Congressmen favoring larger appropriations for the purchase and custody of the Government coin collections.

Mr. Gilette also described the incidents incident to the Convention and the Association was informed that Mr. Yager, was elected President of the A.N.A., that Hartford had been chosen tentatively for the 1927 convention.



Treasurer Plumb called upon President Lange for a report of his activities during the Rochester Exposition. Mr. Lange said that he had acted as guide in the numismatic room during the week of Sept. 6 to Sept. 11 and had explained the collections to innumerable visitors, among them many people from abroad, including a group of Chinese scholars. The latter were greatly impressed with the Bauer Collection of ancient Chinese coins and money equivalents. Director Parker added that more than 40,000 persons had passed through the museum during the week and that the majority had visited the coin collections.

Upon motion of Mr. Parker seconded by Mr. Gillette and put by Vice President Plumb, Mr Lange was thanked for his good work.

There being no other business the business meeting was suspended for the auction. Ex-president Sunday presided as auctioneer and with professional ability and numismatic prescience successfully disposed of two lots of coins, - Lot 1 American; Lot 2 Roman.

*The Coin Society and several Roman coins*  
The meeting adjourned at 11.P.M.



R.N.A.

Sept. 27-26

Present

Lange, Homer, Sunday ~~or French~~  
Woodward, Thomas  
Gillet <sup>or Peake</sup>, Ernest  
Major — Chapin, Samuel  
~~St. French~~  
Parker Stanley  
Potter

Minutes read &  
approved

no applications  
no reports.

Mr. Lange stated that  
on 9 Dec. There will be  
a Exhibition of Coins  
from the A.S. at the



ROCHESTER MUNICIPAL MUSEUM

Rochester Numismatic Association

Oct. 5, 1926.

At the October 5th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association there were present the following: President Lange, Treasurer Plumb, Ex-presidents Bauer, Horner, Gillette, Woodbury, Sunday and French, also members Dr. Peake, E. Peake, Kaufman, Cowles, Wardell.

The president called the meeting to order. Under new business a motion was made to have all members hand in names of their acquaintances who were interested in numismatics, and to have the Secretary to send in notices of the regular association meetings to those names.

President Lange reported that he is preparing a series of lectures, 50 in number, to be delivered before the Boy Scouts of this city.

It was suggested that the Secretary send notices to newspaper reporters inviting them to attend the regular meetings.

A recess was declared for the usual auction.

Adjourned until Oct. 19th at 8 P.M.

By \_\_\_\_\_

Sec. pro-tem.



ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

Oct. 19, 1926. The regular semi monthly meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held in the Library of the Municipal Museum on Oct. 19, 1926. After an inspection of the Coin Room the meeting was called to order by President Lange.

Present, President Lange, Treasurer Plumb, Secretary Parker, Past presidents Horner, Bauer, Sunday, Woodward, Gillette, French. and members Dr. Peake, Emmet Peake and Cowles.

The minutes of the preceeding meeting were read and approved. A communication from John E. Morse was read and acted upon. A communication from the Memorial Art Gallery was also read, giving the information that the Gallery was proposing an exhibit relating to the coinage from ancient times to the present, to be arranged by centuries, with several typical coins to each century. Mr. Lange is cooperating.

The report of the Numismatic Society of Philadelphia was filed, and the Secretary instructed to make due acknowledgement.

There being no other business the regular order of the meeting was suspended for the usual auction. Mr. Sunday presided as auctioneer, and disposed of two lots of coins,- ancients and United States.

A.C. Parker, Secretary.

*Approved*



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**THE NEW PRESIDENT OF THE A. N. A.**

Although elected as the new President of the American Numismatic Association at the Washington Convention, he is not in any sense "new" to the members. He has been active in helping direct the affairs of the Association for eight years, the last five as Chairman of the Board of Governors. His election was unanimous, and as he is conversant with all Association affairs, it goes without saying that his administration will be a successful one.



HARRY H. YAWGER.

Harry H. Yawger was born at Union Springs, Cayuga County, N. Y. where his forefathers moved from New Amsterdam, N. Y., and settled in 1795. He lived there until 1885, when the family moved to Rochester, N. Y., and remained there until 1921, when the Coal Corporation by whom he has been employed since 1890 to date, now as auditor, for business reasons moved their general offices from Rochester, N. Y., to Indiana, Pa.

He is a charter member of the Rochester Numismatic Association, acting as secretary of that organization from 1910 to 1918, and was elected president of that organization in 1918. He is a member of the American Numis-

matic Society, New York, and other numismatic clubs, also Life Member No. 2 of the American Numismatic Association.

He was elected General Secretary of the A. N. A. at the Philadelphia convention in 1919 and held the office for two years. In Boston, 1921, he was elected Chairman of the Board of Governors of the A. N. A. and has continued in that office until this year, when he was honored by being made President of the American Numismatic Association.

He has always had a hobby for collecting, such as minerals, Indian relics, stamps, birds' eggs, etc., but discontinued everything for coins some 20 years ago.

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## ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

Nov. <sup>2</sup>~~3~~, 1926. The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held in the Library of the Municipal Museum on Nov. <sup>2ND</sup>~~3rd~~, 1926. Preceding the session there was an inspection of the Coin Room which embraces the collections of the R.N.A., and the A.N.A.

Present: President Lange, ex-presidents Bauer, Sunday, Gillette, Horner, Plumb, W. Amberg, French, and members Dr. Peake, E. Peake, Parker, Pryor, Kaufman, Kolb, Cowles.

Mr. Bauer reported on the entertainment given J. Sch<sup>u</sup>lman of Amsterdam, Holland by the members committee at the Hotel Rochester. At this "visitation" and dinner a number of the members examined Mr. Scholman's remarkable collection of ancients, and made some purchases. A vote of thanks was extended Mr. Bauer for the pleasure he had given the members on the occasion.

Mr. Sunday reported on his attempt to secure a copy of Stewart's "History of the U.S. Mint," finding it a rare book and one not easily purchased.

There was a symposium on the condition of the Association's library, and a suggestion that there be filed therein a list of books owned by each member, so far as these related to numismatics.

No other business appearing, the President suspended the regular order and called a recess for the auction. Mr. Sunday presided as auctioneer with his usual brilliance, being particularly versed in the lot of United States cents on the table for auction.

After the auction Mr. Kolb displayed certain medals and plaques he had struck. Mr. Bauer donated a coin for the museum display. Mr. Peake showed an especially fine U.S. Cent of 1793.

Adjourned.

A.C. Parker, Secretary.



## ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

Nov. 16, 1926. The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held in the Library of the Municipal Museum Tuesday, Nov. 16, 1926 at 7 P.M.

Members present: President Lange, Messrs Horner, Sunday, Bauer Gillette, Woodbury, Plumb, Kolb, Chapin, Dr. Peake, Emmett Peake, Parker, Cowles, Harringx. Visitor: Mr. Raddick.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Exhibits: Dr. Peake exhibited a series of gold 20 Franc and Lira pieces; Mr. Gillette exhibited his recent purchases from the Wilson sale. Among the coins were a number of rare Canadians.

There was a symposium on the methods of describing coins as to color, condition, dies and identification.

An article on "Coin Collecting, - a Neglected Hobby," appearing in a recent number of the Dearborn Independent, and written by President Lange, was mentioned. Several members commended it.

A letter from Member Earle H. Potter mentioning a family bereavement was read, and the Secretary instructed to convey the sympathy of the Association.

There being no other business or reports, the regular order was suspended and a recess declared for the auction. Mr. Sunday acted as auctioneer. There were several groups of coins, tokens and medals on the table, including Americans, Europeans and Asiatics. Nearly all were disposed of at excellent prices.

Arthur C. Parker, Secretary.



The regular meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held in the library of the Municipal Museum on December 7th, 1926.

Present: Lange, Wardell, Plumb, Peake, Horner, Sunday Woodbury, Potter, Chester Peake, Haringx.

Presiding: President Paul M. Lange.

The committee on nominations was appointed by the chair and consists of Messrs. Woodbury, Horner and Sunday.

It was moved by Mr. Woodbury and seconded by Mr. Plumb that the yearly meeting be held in the Osborn House, January 2d, at 3 p.m. Committee appointed to carry out the schedule consists of Messrs. Sunday and Dr. Peake.

a. It was moved by Mr. Woodbury, seconded by Horner that whereas membership in the association by persons under sixteen years of age shall be classified as associate and that no dues be assessed but that such a member shall be elected in the same manner as a regular active member.

b. That from the age of 16 to 21 the associate members so elected shall pay annual dues of \$1.00 and shall enjoy all the privileges of the association and be known as a regular member. All applicants and members over 21 years of age shall pay the regular dues of \$2.00 per annum.

Motion carried.



Rochester Numismatic Association

Dec. 21, 1926.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held in the Library of the Municipal Museum on Tuesday evening December 21st, at 8.P.M.

Present, Messrs Lange, Plum, Horner, Woodbury, Sunday, Bauer, Gillette, Peake, E. Peake, Reddick, Amberg, Parker, Wardell, French, Pryor. Visitor and applicant. G. Lindboe.

Presiding, President Paul Lange. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The president then called for the report of the nominating committee, previously appointed. An opportunity for nominations being given, the nominations were closed by motion and the Committee brought in its report, as follows: For President, A.H. Plumb; for Vice President and Secretary, A.C. Parker; for Treasurer, Dr. Chester A. Peake.

Upon motion duly seconded and carried, ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~  
THE Secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for each candidate, ~~ZZZZZZ~~ separately. The Secretary, brought in his report declaring each candidate elected.

The applications of Master Reddick and of Gustav Lindboe were received and acted upon favorably. Master Reddick was elected an associate member of the junior class, and Mr. Lindboe an active.

There being no other business the President announced the Annual dinner on Jan. 2d, 1927 at the Osbourne house. The session was suspended for the usual auction over which Ex-President Sunday presided with his usual ability. Some good ancients and a fine lot of American coins were disposed of. Mr. Lindboe donated several good coins and the Coin Committee purchased several. Mr. Gillette donated two pieces of fractional currency, of the issue of 1863.

Arthur C. Parker, Secretary.



# ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

BRANCH NO. 2 AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

DR. GEO. P. FRENCH, PRES. 1912  
L. J. WOOLSEY, PRES. 1913  
GEO. J. BAUER, PRES. 1914  
L. G. AMBERG, PRES. 1915  
F. B. KING, PRES. 1916  
F. E. MERRITT, PRES. 1917



H. H. YAWGER, PRES. 1918  
DR. S. HANDLER, PRES. 1919  
J. C. WOODBURY, PRES. 1920  
W. H. AMBERG, PRES. 1921  
G. A. GILLETTE, PRES. 1922

ROCHESTER, NEW YORK

## Treasurer's Report for 1926.

|                |              |           |                 |
|----------------|--------------|-----------|-----------------|
| Jan 1st, 1926. | Cash in Bank | - - - - - | \$ 114.28       |
|                | U. S. Bonds  | - - - - - | 300.00          |
|                |              |           | <hr/> \$ 414.28 |

## Receipts.

|                       |           |                 |              |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------------|--------------|
| Received for Dues     | - - - - - | \$ 88.00        |              |
| " " Medals            | - - - - - | 31.00           |              |
| " " Putnam Medal Fund | - - - - - | 175.50          |              |
| Interest on Bank ac:  | - - - - - | 6.83            |              |
| " " U. S. Bonds       | - - - - - | 12.76           |              |
|                       |           | <hr/> \$ 314.09 | \$ 314.09    |
|                       |           |                 | <hr/> 728.37 |

## Disbursements.

|                                     |           |                 |              |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------|--------------|
| Membership Cards                    | - - - - - | \$ 4.75         |              |
| A. N. A. Dues for 1926 - 1927       | - - - - - | 6.00            |              |
| Paid for Coins for R. N. A. Exhibit | - - - - - | 33.24           |              |
| Cost of the Putnam Plaque and Die   | - - - - - | 175.00          |              |
| To Bastian Bros for striking Medals | - - - - - | 42.40           |              |
| To Secretary for postage and Cards  | - - - - - | 16.00           |              |
|                                     |           | <hr/> \$ 277.39 | \$ 277.39    |
|                                     |           |                 | <hr/> 450.98 |

|                |              |           |                 |
|----------------|--------------|-----------|-----------------|
| Jan 1st, 1927. | Cash in Bank | - - - - - | 150.98          |
|                | U. S. Bonds  | - - - - - | 300.00          |
|                |              |           | <hr/> \$ 450.98 |

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Respectfully submitted  
A. H. PLUMB, TREASURER.